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SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER COMMENTS ON FUTURE US-BRAZIL TIES

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1. IN YEAR-END PRESS INTERVIEW CARRIED IN RIO'S JORNAL DO
BRASIL DECEMBER 31, FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA FORESAW 1977
AS A YEAR OF "HARD WORK." IN THIS RESPECT SILVEIRA REFERRED
TO EFFORTS THAT GOB WILL HAVE TO MAKE TO KEEP INTACT ITS
NUCLEAR COOPERATION PROGRAM WITH FRG. ACCORDING TO JORNAL,
SILVEIRA SAID FOREIGN MINISTRY HAS NO DOUBT THAT CARTER
ADMINISTRATION WILL INCREASE PRESSURES IN ALL SECTORS TO
NEUTRALIZE THE AGREEMENT WITH BONN, PARTICULARLY THAT
PART WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION IN BRAZIL OF A
SYSTEM FOR REPROCESSING NUCLEAR FUEL.

2. SILVEIRA ALSO REPORTEDLY TOLD JORNAL THAT HE WAS
CONFIDENT THAT THE FRG WOULD NOT YIELD TO THE FORTHCOMING
US PRESSURES. SILVEIRA REPORTEDLY ADDED THAT THE "PERIOD
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OF BETTER UNDERSTANDING WITH THE US," WHICH ARTICLE NOTES
WAS MARKED BY VISIT OF SECRETARY KISSINGER TO BRAZIL,
IS ABOUT TO CLOSE WITH THE INAUGURATION OF A NEW
PRESIDENT ON JANUARY 20.

3. COMMENT: IN PREVIOUS STATEMENTS SILVEIRA HAS BEEN
AT PAINS TO STRESS PUBLICLY THAT BRAZIL HAS NOTHING

TO FEAR FROM THE INCOMING NEW US ADMINISTRATION. THESE
COMMENTS ARE A DEVIATION FROM HIS CUSTOMARY PUBLIC OPTIMISM.
END COMMENT.

4. AMBASSADOR PINHEIRO'S PRESENCE IN BRASILIA THIS
WEEK FOR CONSULTATIONS WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTER HAS
RECEIVED CONSIDERABLE PRESS ATTENTION.
THE REPORTING SAYS THAT PINHEIRO'S VISIT IS FOR THE
PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING INDICATIONS OF THE POLICIES TO
BE PURSUED BY THE INCOMING CARTER ADMINISTRATION.
MANY OF THE STORIES HAVE MENTIONED ANTICIPATED US
OPPOSITION TO THE BRAZIL/FRG NUCLEAR PACT IN THIS
CONNECTION.
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